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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Roddi James SIMPSON et al.

**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

Serial No. 10/657,171

Art Unit: 3767

Filed: September 9, 2003

Examiner: MacNeill, Elizabeth

For: FIXED NEEDLE SYRINGE  
WITH PROTECTIVE HOUSING

Atty Docket: 0100/0162

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL  
FILED PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a response to the final rejection Office Action dated January 18, 2007.

Please amend the above-identified application.

Cancel claims 17 and 25.

Amend claims 10, 18, 27, 29, 30 and 31.